

Lemyres Win in NCAA Tourney

Brothers Go to Quarter-Finals; Lions' Homan Drops 6-5 Decision

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Penn State's EIWA champion wrestling brothers Joe and Dick Lemyre scored preliminary round victories to gain today's quarter-finals in the opening of the NCAA tournament in Fort Collins, Colorado, yesterday afternoon the Associated Press reported.

But the Lions' other EIWA champion 123 pound entry Bob Homan lost a 6-5 decision to get eliminated.

Defending champion Oklahoma, runnerup Oklahoma A&M and Iowa State Teachers college paced the more than forty colleges into the quarterfinals with seven men each. No other schools were considered contenders.

Prelims:

In the 123-pound class, Bob Homan, of Penn State, dropped a 6-5 decision to James P. McCarran of Iowa State Teachers.

In the 130-pound division, George Lewis, Waynesburg College, decisioned Linn Long, Colorado University, 8-1, and Dick Lemyre, Penn State, decisioned Merele Dunn, Illinois, 8-2.

Wrestling at 137 pounds, Leonard de Augustino, Lock Haven Teachers College, decisioned Phil Rollins, of Brigham Young, 8-0.

Charles Uram, 147-pounder from Pittsburgh, outpointed Jim Ellis, Indiana, 6-1.

In the 157-pound class, Tom Lewis, Waynesburg, dropped a 5-1 decision to Don Govoni, Colorado State.

Ray Carlsen, Waynesburg, lost a 3-3 referee's decision in the 177-pound division to Ray Vohden, Rutgers.

Among the 191-pound light heavies, Ralph Schneider, Waynesburg, pinned Harold Broughton, Colorado A&M in 3:34, and Joe Lemyre of Penn State, decisioned Warren Soneman, Cornell (Iowa) College, 6-0.

Walcott Agrees To Title Match With Charles

PHILADELPHIA, March 28—(AP)—The return heavyweight title bout between champion Jersey Joe Walcott and challenger Ezzard Charles, which has been on-again-off again oftener than an English Channel swim in squally weather, will be signed and sealed here Monday for a probable June 9 delivery.

Promoter Herman Taylor said the two boxers, Walcott from Camden, N.J., and Charles from Cincinnati, would meet in the city hall headquarters of the Police Athletic League to sign the contracts. The scheduled 15-rounder will be fought in the huge Municipal Stadium in South Philadelphia where 120,757 watched Gene Tunney win the heavyweight crown from Jack Dempsey in 1926.

Although Taylor did not disclose the date of the impending fight he said it would be in early June.

NBA May Strip 3 of Crowns

WASHINGTON, March 28—(AP)—The executive committee of the National Boxing Association meets here tomorrow and some major decisions are likely.

The committee plans to act on demands that the titles of three champions be declared vacated because they have not defended their crowns in the six-month period fixed by the NBA.

Jersey Joe Walcott, heavyweight champion, is one of the three. The Camden, N.J., father of six won the title from Ezzard Charles last July and hasn't defended it since. It was learned in New York today that arrangements have been all but completed for a return bout in Philadelphia on June 9.

Also up for scrutiny are the titles held by Joey Maxim, light-heavyweight king, and Kid Gavilan, welterweight champ.

Olympic Cage Tryouts Open In Two Cities

NEW YORK, March 28—(AP)—If the midnight gong has sounded for LaSalle's Cinderella Explorers, the brash young men from Philadelphia haven't heard it.

Kansas is coldly confident no one can stop big Clyde Lovellette. Little Springfield is feeling its giant-killing oats. St. John's is dog-tired. And the AAU teams are cocky as a bunch of bantam roosters.

Kansas Favored

This is not the latest farm report but a pre-battle diagnoses of the eight Helsinki-bent hopefuls who square off in the opening round of the Olympic basketball trials tomorrow night here and in Kansas City.

The fast, sharpshooting Kansans, with college basketball's out-standing individual performer in the six-nine Lovellette, are favored to sweep through the college half of the bracket and face either Peoria's Caterpillars or the Phillips Oilers in Tuesday's final at Madison Square Garden. Peoria and Phillips are tied 2-2 in season's competition.

Loeffler Won't Concede

The Olympic team will be composed of seven players from each of the finalist squads, to be chosen by the respective team coaches. LaSalle's candid coach, Ken Loeffler, was one, however, not ready to concede the European trip to Coach Phog Allen and his Kansas proteges, impressive winners of the NCAA crown this week at Seattle.

"If we play as we did in winning the National International (Continued on page seven)

Clem Labine May Replace Newcombe

MIAMI, March 28—(AP)—Clem Labine is the Brooklyn pitcher most likely to win Don Newcombe's old starting job. A husky six-footer with a natural sinker and good curve, Labine has all it takes to win in the majors.

Rival managers had one bad rap against Labine last summer. "You can call his curve ball from the bench," they claimed. Some of them could call it enough to give Labine real trouble.

Chuck Dressen, a pitch-caller from way back, spotted the same flaw. He decided to do something about it. When Labine reported for spring training, Dressen borrowed his glove.

A few minutes work in the clubhouse and Dressen had scratched a blunt message for Labine on the back of his glove. Starting at the pitcher on the four fingers of his glove was the word T-U-R-N. Everytime Labine starts to pitch he is reminded to T-U-R-N his glove, hiding his grip on the ball.

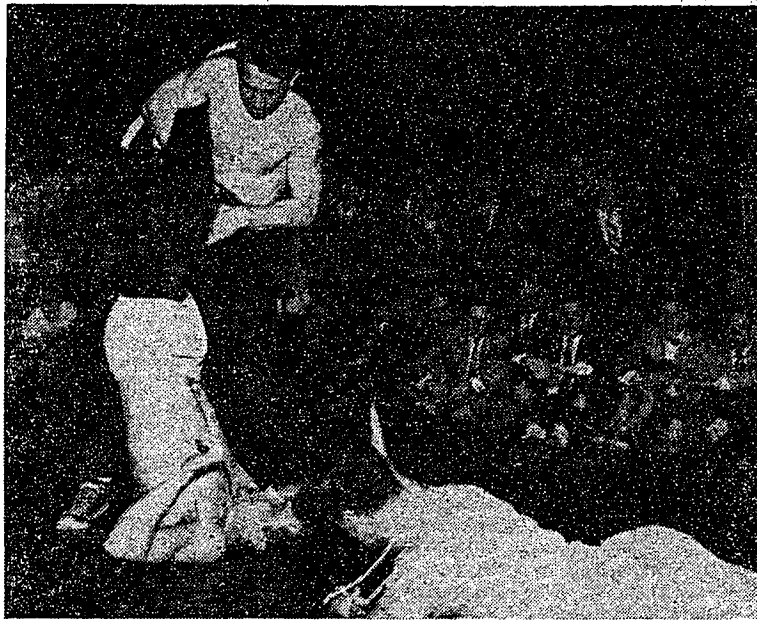
Labine, an ex-paratrooper with the Rainbow Division, takes his baseball seriously. With the exception of a year in service he's been bumping around baseball since 1944.

Gym Tickets on Sale

Tickets for the forthcoming men's and women's 1952 Olympic gymnastic tryouts, combined with the National Amateur Athletic Union championships scheduled for April 25-26 in Recreation Hall, will go on sale 8 a.m. Tuesday in the Athletic Association Office, Old Main.

Delta Upsilon Moves Closer To Intramural Wrestling Crown

Strictly A Two Point Pin



BOB BROWN hoists Harold Nawrocki onto his shoulders for a fall in their 165 pound independent IM wrestling match last night. Referee Jerry Maurey gets ready to signal for the pin. Brown faces Howard Hasketh in the semi-finals Tuesday night.

It Didn't End This Way



IT LOOKS as though Bob Breuninger of Delta Chi is getting the works from ATO's John McCall, but McCall slipped when he tried to execute a body slam and got himself in a fall position. Breuninger finished the 145 pound bout at 1:08. He will face Bob Hamilton of Delta Upsilon in the semi-finals.

Loss of Track Stars Dims 1952 Outlook

By JOHN SHEPPARD

The loss of such stars as Don Bagby, Ollie Sax, Ed Snodgrass, among others, has vitally affected Coach Chick Werner's 1952 outdoor track chances for a banner season.

At the outset of the '51 track campaign, Werner was sitting pretty as far as the fortunes of 1952 were concerned. Moreover, Chick had every reason in the world to assume an air of optimism, for the crop of material he had was something to rave about.

However, a sudden change of tide has left Werner with only a limited amount of non-tested varsity material.

Last season Don Bagby was the best miler on the frosh squad, having covered the distance in 4:21. Prior to his coming to State, Don won the Philadelphia high school mile and cross country titles. Because of ineligibility, however, Don dropped out of school.

Then there was Ohio's high (Continued on page seven)

WRA Playoffs Begin Monday

Monday night's schedule for WRA league play-offs in badminton and bowling have been announced by Mable Marple, intramural chairman. The regular season ended Thursday night.

The badminton schedule is as follows: 6:30, Alpha Xi Delta plays Zeta Tau Alpha, both of league 7; 7:15, MacAllister Hall, league 1, plays Alpha Gamma Delta, league 2; 8, Atherton East, league 3, plays Theta Phi Alpha, league 4; and 8:45, Phi Mu, league 5, plays Kappa Kappa Gamma, league 6.

Leonides was last year's badminton champion.

Chi Omega, league 1, will play Phi Mu, league 2, in the bowling play-offs at 6:30 p.m. Two lines apiece will be bowled.

Last year's championship team in bowling was Alpha Xi Delta.

Smith, Hamilton Score Decisions To Pace Advance

Delta Upsilon crept a step closer to the intramural wrestling championship last night when Tom Smith, 135, and Bob Hamilton, 145, scored decisions over Ron Miller, Phi Delta Theta, and Sid Ziff, Phi Sigma Delta, respectively.

Hamilton, 135 pound king last year, barely eked out a 4-2 decision over Ziff, who led until Hamilton scored a reverse in the last five seconds of the bout. Hamilton also had one-point time advantage.

Smith, on the other hand, took down Miller three times and on each occasion Miller escaped. This two-points-for-one method proved Miller's undoing and Smith eventually won, 9-4.

Pancerev, Allison Win

DU's hottest competition, Sigma Nu, kept right on moving with two victories, both forfeits. Heavyweight Terhune Dickel and Stan Engle, 135, won by forfeits over Les Burdette, Delta Theta Sigma, and Joe Messerman, Delta Chi. Burdette was runnerup in this class last year.

Besides Hamilton, two other champions also moved into the semi-finals.

Al Pancerev, 165, and John Allison, 135, both of Phi Kappa Psi scored easy wins in their bouts.

Pancerev registered his second successive fall when he pinned Jim Carter, TKE. Pancerev took "up" to start the second period and finished Carter just 14 seconds before the end of the quarter.

Allison scored an escape and a takedown in the second period and added one-point time advantage to beat Don Fields, Phi Sigma Kappa, 4-0.

Bob Brown Wins

In other 135 pound matches, Sam Hamilton, Beta Theta Pi, pinned Ken Wolfe, Sigma Pi, in 1:38. Joe Reynolds, independent, won by default over Bob Broomfield, who suffered a dislocated elbow.

Other 165 pound action saw independent Bob Brown pin Harold Nawrocki in 4:56, and Dick Dum, AGR, take a referee's decision from Blair Smith, Delta Theta Sigma.

In the 128 pound class, John Russ, Phi Sigma Kappa, took a one-sided 8-0 decision from Rod Snyder, Phi Delta Theta. Entering the final period, Russ led by only two points. In that quarter, however, he registered an escape, takedown and near fall in addition to having time.

Two falls and two decisions were scored in the 145 pound class. Bob Breuninger, Delta Chi, pinned John McCall, ATO; independent Willard Noyes felled Dick Lowry; independent Ed Navasky tripped Charlie Groff, 5-1; and Jim Hancock, Phi Sigma Kappa, blanked Jack Donnal, Phi Gamma Delta, 5-0.

Spayd Decision Winner

Russ Wasser, Delta Theta Sigma, 155, beat Jim Dillon, Phi Kappa, in 3:57. Rod Beck, Triangle won by default over Paul Sheaffer, KDR, who injured his knee.

George Cummings, Pi Kappa Alpha, 175, lost to Dick Spayd, ATO, 5-1, and independent heavy-weight Bob Rohland mauled Mile Skorach, 9-3.

Forfeit wins were scored by independents Dick Cassel, 135, and Howard Hasketh, 165.

Soccer Practice Begins

Spring soccer practice will begin today, Coach Bill Jeffrey announced yesterday.

Jeffrey said that varsity performers and all those interested in trying out for the team should report to the soccer practice field located on the golf course.